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SUBJECT: CIVAIR EGYPTIAN IMMIGRATION FARE

1. DURING NEGOTIATIONS HELD MARCH 13-18, THE U.S. AND EGYPTIAN DELEGATIONS INFORMALLY DISCUSSED AN EGYPTIAN GOVERNMENT ORDERED FARE FOR EGYPTIAN IMMIGRANTS IN THE UNITED STATES AND THEIR RELATIVES IN EGYPT FOR TRAVEL BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND EGYPT. THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IS FOR USE BY THE EMBASSY, IF APPROACHED BY THE EGYPTIANS CONCERNING THE FARE. THE EMBASSY, HOWEVER, SHOULD NOT INITIATE ANY DISCUSSION OF THE FARE.

2. TRANS WORLD SUBMITTED TARIFFS TO CAB WHICH PRESCRIBE THE AMOUNT AND THE CONDITIONS OF THE EGYPTIAN IMMIGRANT FARE. THE TARIFFS WERE REJECTED BY CAB ON FEBRUARY 28 FORTECHNICAL REASONS. ONE REASON WAS THAT THE FARE ITSELF HAD NEVER BEEN FILED FOR CAB SCRUTINY.

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3. IF THE EGYPTIAN IMMIGRANT FARE HAD BEEN FILED, THE CAB PROBABLY WOULD HAVE DISAPPROVED IT AS UNJUSTLY DISCRIMINATORY. SUCH A DECISION WOULD BE CONSISTENT WITH PAST DECISIONS OF THE BOARD AND THE COURTS. THIS PARTICULAR FARE IS CONSIDERED UNJUSTLY DISCRIMINATORY BECAUSE IT IS AVAILABLE TO ONLY A SPECIFIED GROUP OF THE PUBLIC

BASED ON NATIONAL ORIGIN OR PLACE OF RESIDENCE. THE CAB, HOWEVER, DOES FAVOR LOW FARES AVAILABLE TO ALL SEGMENTS OF THE PUBLIC. CHRISTOPHER

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